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RE: SN 09/129,565 "INHIBITION OF VIRAL INFECTION AND SPREAD WITH VIRAL AND RHOA-DERIVED PEPTIDES" – Barney S. Graham and Manoj Pastey

Sir:

Enclosed for filing in the above-referenced patent application is:

- (1) Request for Reconsideration Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111; and
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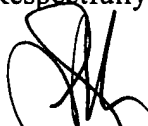
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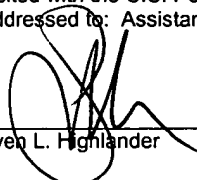
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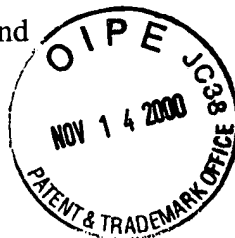
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**REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111**

Hon. Asst. Commissioner of Patents  
Washington D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed on September 26, 2000, for which the three-month date for response is December 26, 2000. No fees are believed due in connection with this filing. However, should any fees be due, the Assistant Commissioner is authorized to debit Fulbright & Jaworski Deposit Account No. 50-1212/10005331/SLH. Please consider reconsider the application in light of the following remarks.